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THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : இந்த சொஸைடி நன்ருகத்தான் நடந்துகொண்டிருந்தது. அதிலே ஏதோ ஒரு தவறு ஏற்பட்டது. அதனுல் அந்தக் கணக்குப் புத்தகங்களையெல்லாம் கிணற்றில் போட்டுவிட்டார்கள். அதனுல் கடன் கொடுப்பதில் சற்று கால தாமதம் ஏற்பட்டது. இந்த சொஸைடியைப்பற்றி இதற்கு முன்னுல் புகார் இல்லே. தனித்தனியாக நிலம் கிடைத்தால் லாபமாக இருக்கும் என்று நினைத்து கிளர்ச்சி செய்கிருர்கள். இதற்கு சர்க்கார் இடம் கொடுக்காது என்று தெரிவிக்க விரும்புகிறேன்.

SRI T. S. RAMASWAMY PILLAI : It seems the Government received the representation as early as 26th July 1957. May I know the reason why the Government have not taken a decision in the matter even after a lapse of so many months till now?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : The representation was received earlier—11th July 1957, and the matter was referred to the Police. The Police reported the case as undetectable on 26th October 1957. Further representation was received on 4th November 1957 and fresh enquiries have started since then.

SRI K. B. S. MANI : இந்த சொஸைடிகள் இல்லாத இடங்களில் சர்க்கார் உத்திரவின் பேரில் அவர்கள் ஆக்கிரமித்திருக்கும் நிலங்களே அவர்களுக்கு, அடமானம் செய்து கொடுக்க, அவர்களுக்கு தனிச் சலுகை கொடுக்க, அரசாங்கம் முன் வருமா ?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : It is a general question. A separate question may be put.

District Munsifs

* 514 *Q.*—SRI P. G. MANICKAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of persons appointed temporarily as District Munsifs in 1957 ; and

(*b*) among them (i) the number belonging to Backward Classes, and (ii) number of Harijans?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) Twenty seven persons were appointed as temporary District Munsifs in 1957.

(*b*) Of them, 7 belong to Backward Classes and there are no Harijans.

SRI V. S. MANICKASUNDARAM : Was not the selection intended for filling up permanent posts? Or were they temporary appointments from the beginning?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : These were temporary appointments to fill up temporary vacancies. They were made by transfer and not by direct recruitment.

SRI M. JAGANNATHAN : If the information is available, may I know how many posts were reserved for Harijans, how many people applied and how many were selected?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : In respect of these temporary appointments which are made by transfer, there is no reservation for any community.

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SRI T. T. DANIEL : In view of the fact that so many Harijan Members of the House are asking a number of questions about representation of Backward Class people and Harijans in the services, will the Government consider the desirability of allowing reservation of posts for the Harijans and backward communities in all Departments of Government on the basis of their respective population so that they may have communal justice and come forward as other communities have come forward?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : This question relates to appointment of District Munsifs to temporary posts. As I said, this was done by transfer and so there is no question of reserving any seat for any community?

SRI A. V. P. ASAITHAMBI : தலைவர் அவர்களே, தாற்காலிக ஜில்லா முன்சீப்புகள் நியமிக்கப்பட்டதில் பிராமணர்களுக்குப் போதிய பிரதிநிதித்துவம் அளிக்கப்பட்டிருக்கிறதா ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : ஜாதி வாரியாக பிரதிநிதித்துவம் இல்லை என்று நான் முன்னேயே சொன்னேன்.

Co-operative Milk Supply Society

* 515 *Q.*—SRI A. R. MARIMUTHU : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government have received any representation recently regarding the starting of another Milk Supply Society as a rival to the Co-operative Milk Supply Society, No. 893, Ponmalaipatti, Tiruchirappalli district; and

(*b*) the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (*a*) Yes, Sir.

(*b*) On enquiry, it was found that on the advice of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, the Union had closed the new centre with effect from 1st September 1957. Hence the Government considered that no further action was called for in the matter.

Police Forces of other States

* 516 *Q.*—SRI A. V. P. ASAITHAMBI (on behalf of Sri M. P. Sarathi) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of times this Government secured the assistance of the Andhra Pradesh Police during 1957;

(*b*) the strength of force so employed on each occasion; and

(*c*) the additional expenditure incurred thereby?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) The assistance of the Andhra Pradesh Police Force was secured by this State on two occasions during 1957.